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BOWLING GREEN, KENTUCKY

Friday, January 16, 1948

Hilltoppers Leave For Three-Game Jaunt Through East

Long Named As Guest Conductor For Music Clinic

Professor Newell H. Long, director of instrumental music at Indiana university, has been engaged as guest conductor of the Kentucky Clinic band and orchestra which will perform here on Friday and Saturday, January 23 and 24.

Mr. Long is well known as a conductor and a composer, and seven of his compositions have been printed by American publishers. He has studied at Indiana university, Northwestern university, and a year in Europe. Also, he was elected vice president of the North Central Music Educators Conference at Indianapolis last spring.

In addition, Dr. Weldon Hart, Dr. Hugh Gunderson, and Mr. Claude Rose will share in the conducting duties, and several other members of the Western music faculty will conduct sessions on vocal technique, choral problems, instrumental technique, ensemble music, and accompanying.

The general plan is to have the clinic band, orchestra, and chorus perform contest music of various grades of difficulty, many recent compositions for those groups being among the numbers they will present. The music is being furnished by various music publishers and by the college music library.

The clinic organizations, band, orchestra, and chorus, will be com-

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Next Play To Be Given Feb. 19

"JOAN OF LORRAINE," by Maxwell Anderson, will be presented in Van Meter auditorium on Wednesday, February 19, under the direction of Mr. Russell H. Miller, teacher of dramatics at Western.

This play, which was rated by critics as one of the best plays of last season, was first given at Washington, D. C., on October 9, 1946 and starred Ingrid Bergman. Later in 1947, the production was moved on to New York.

The results of tryouts on January 8 and 9 for the production on the Hill gave the three principal parts to the following: Joan of Arc, Leta Justine White; The Director, Louis Shelton; and The Dauphin, O. V. Clark, Jr.

Others in the cast are Thomas White, Nina Korman, Jo Ann Cottrell, James Wright, Joe Kimbrough, Box Fox, Wilson Wood, Rachel Loudermilk, Henry Smith, Billie Hardcastle, William Tabb, Bob Spiller, Nick Diachinko, Charles Loudermilk, and Joyce Allen. Other parts are in the progress of being cast.

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Vet Enrollment Is On Increase

Registration for the winter quarter began on Friday, January 2, with classes commencing on the following Monday.

Mr. E. H. Canon, registrar, stated that official figures on enrollment were not yet ready for release. He expressed the belief that the number of new veterans entering the college was substantially increased. Many new students began their graduate studies leading to the Master of Arts degree. These included students who received their bachelor degree at Western in December as well as a number of graduates from other institutions.

A number of teachers have enrolled this quarter for the purpose of completing their degrees this summer. A large percentage of this number have given up their present positions in order to further pursue their course of study.



Here is the starting Hilltopper lineup that will open a three-game eastern tour against Canisius college tomorrow night in Buffalo, New York. The five, all of whom started against the Griffs last year in Western's 52-50 triumph, are, left to right: Dee Gibson, Odie Spears, Don "Duck" Ray, Oran McKinney, and Johnny Oldham.

Six Westerners On Daily Kentuckian Staff; Dave Whitaker Heads List

Six of the writers employed by the DAILY KENTUCKIAN, Bowling Green's newest daily publication, are either students on the Hill now or have recently studied at Western. Five of these people, Dave Whitaker, Bob Pearce, Bob Cochran, Field McChesney, Jr., and Nancy Moss, have served on the staff of the COLLEGE HEIGHTS HERALD.

David Whitaker assumed the duties of editor of the DAILY KENTUCKIAN on January 5, 1948, succeeding Alvis Temple, who left the paper in a reorganization move in late December, 1947.

Mr. Whitaker is well known on the Hill, having graduated from Western last year. He entered Western in 1941, but his pursuit of higher education was interrupted for a period of 40 months, during which time he served with the United States Marine Corps.

While a marine, Whitaker, who at 25 is one of the youngest daily editors in the country, served on the

sports staff of the Jackson CLARION-LEDGER and the Jackson DAILY NEWS in Jackson, Mississippi. He was discharged from military service in August, 1946, with the rank of first lieutenant.

Returning to Western, Whitaker completed the requirements for the AB degree and graduated in the spring of 1947. It was during this time that he was the editor of the HERALD. Since leaving Western, the new KENTUCKIAN editor has been employed by the Commonwealth Life Insurance Company, Louisville, prior to his Bowling Green Publishing Company appointment.

A native of Fisherville, Jefferson county, young Whitaker is a graduate of Jeffersontown high school. He was married to the former Miss Kathryn Nordquist of Youngstown, Ohio, last Thanksgiving Day. Mrs. Whitaker recently arrived in Bowling Green to join her husband. They are making their home at an apartment on College street.

The young society editor of the DAILY KENTUCKIAN, Miss Beatrice "Bebe" Binzel, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Binzel, 1536 Chestnut street. Miss Binzel assumed her duties at the Bowling Green Publishing Company early in November when the paper was inaugurated.

She is a graduate of College High, class of '42, at which school she was a cheerleader. In the school year 1942-43, Miss Binzel attended Rosary college, River Forest, Illinois. Returning to Bowling Green, she entered Western for a year, where she was a cheerleader. She was distinguished in March, 1945, as the Military Queen for the 321st College Training Detachment of the Army Air Corps cadets stationed on the Hill.

During the summer of 1944, the society editor was employed by the Graybar Electric company, Louisville, as a stenographer. The following summer Miss Binzel went to Washington, D. C. where she was a stenographer for the Navy Department.

She continued her higher education at the University of Kentucky, Lexington, in the fall of 1945. There she was elected a cheerleader and fulfilled the peppy position during her two years at the university. Graduating in 1946, Miss Binzel received the BS degree in home economics.

Immediately prior to her appointment on the DAILY KENTUCKIAN,

"Bebe" Binzel was employed by the local Home Insurance company as a stenographer.

As sport editor of the DAILY KENTUCKIAN, Robert Pearce, son of Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Pearce, Glen Lily road, has more than a small job. In addition to doing the sports writing for the new Bowling Green paper, Bob Pearce is a full time student on the Hill.

Pearce graduated from College high in 1941 and entered Western that fall as a freshman. He left Bowling Green in February, 1942, and went to Los Angeles, California, where he was employed by the Douglas Aircraft company. Returning to the Hill in September, 1942, the sports head reassumed his studies until he entered the armed forces.

He went into the Army in March, 1943, and served with the organization until January, 1944, when he was discharged as a corporal. In the same month Pearce joined the Navy, in which service he was an aviation ordnance man. He was as-

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Dorms Bids Total Near \$500,000

Bids totaling \$497,516, not including costs of architect work, for the erection of a new dormitory at Western were approved by the board of regents of the college in December. The meeting was held in the office of President Paul L. Garrett.

J. M. Ingram, formerly of Bowling Green, and John F. Wilson are the architects of the building. Bids were awarded to the following: George H. Rommel, Louisville, general construction, \$401,000; George E. Blandford, Inc., Louisville, heating and plumbing, \$68,806; and Link Electric Company, Louisville, electric work, \$27,710.

The tabulations of the bids were presented by W. H. Attieberry, of the division of Engineering and Construction of Franklin.

Landscape architect of the project is Tom Nelson, Louisville.

Those present at the meeting were Judge John B. Rhodes, Bowling Green; Judge Charles I. Dawson, Louisville; J. Clarence Bartlett, Hartford; John E. Richardson, Glasgow; and John F. Wilson, Lexington.

Canisius To Be First Of Three Eastern Foes

By Bart Hagerman

Western's red-hot Hilltoppers, flashing back to form from their loss to Bowling Green university, will open their annual eastern tour tomorrow night when they clash with Canisius college in Memorial Auditorium, Buffalo, N. Y.

The toppers were slated to leave Louisville yesterday morning and arrive in Buffalo at 7:15 a. m. today. While in Buffalo, they will stay at the Statler Hotel. The Diddlemen will probably have a short workout this afternoon before their tilt tomorrow night against Coach Earl Brown's "Golden Griffins."

Loosing only one regular from last year's team the Griffs are expected to give the Toppers plenty in the way of competition. Western triumphed in the meeting between the two teams last year on a last minute hook shot by Oran McKinney to eke out a 52-50 decision. Top ace for Canisius is Leroy Chollet, six-foot-two inch forward who plunked in 17 points last year to tie Odie Spears for scoring honors.

WLBJ, with Ken Given at the mike, will be on the air at 8:30 tomorrow night to carry a play-by-play description direct from Memorial Auditorium. The station is slated to carry the L. I. U. and St. Joseph games also.

The Toppers will leave Buffalo

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Joy Davis Named Military Queen

"There was a sound of revelry by night" on Friday, December 5 at the Western gymnasium when Joy Davis was crowned queen at the fourteenth annual Military Ball.

Miss Davis, sophomore home economics major and a native of Bowling Green, was attended by Arne Egerton, Leta Justine White, Anita Beller, Nancy Douglas, Nancy Ashby, and Mary Helen Moss.

The crowning of the queen, which took place at 10:15 p. m., was by R. O. T. C. cadet Lieutenant Colonel Lenwood S. Sherill, after receiving the crown from crownbearer Lya Shannon Lindley, daughter of Major and Mrs. W. C. Lindley. Participating also in the ceremonies were the honorary cadet officers, Cadet Lieutenant Colonel Marie Powell, Cadet Captain Betty Topmiller, and Cadet Captain Betty Jeanne Watson and Miss Judy Stevens, retiring queen.

Escorts for the attendants were Francis R. Stokes, J. Neil Embry, Edwin E. Rogers, Lewis H. Shelton, Strather W. Hawkins, Harold B. Sal-

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Whittle Is Heard At Ogden Banquet

Charles E. Whittle, chairman of the Public Service Commission for Kentucky was the speaker at the annual Ogden Alumni banquet at the Archway Inn, December 26, according to Lee Stagner, past-president of the Ogden Alumni association. Mr. Stagner presided and Marshall Funk served as toastmaster.

Mr. Whittle, a former president of Ogden, spoke of the exacting teaching of the professors of Ogden college. He pointed out the fact that several of the teachers had been officers in the Civil War and their teaching stressed thoroughness, individuality, and independence. Some outstanding personalities, living and dead, were reflected in the address.

New association officers are as follows: J. G. Denhardt Sr., president, Marshall Funk, vice-president; Alvis Temple, secretary; and P. H. Mollenberry, treasurer.

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CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to David Whitaker on his recent appointment as editor of the DAILY KENTUCKIAN. Mr. Whitaker at 25 is one of the youngest daily newspaper editors in the country.

He served last year as editor of the COLLEGE HEIGHTS HERALD. His knowledge of all the aspects of newspaper work as reflected in his able management of the HERALD won the admiration of those of us who were members of his staff. His seemingly complete mastery of every situation gave rise to a feeling of confidence and assurance in the minds of those who worked with him.

Mr. Whitaker came to the HERALD with much more practical experience than the average collegiate editor having served on the sports staff of both the Jackson CLARION-LEDGER and the Jackson DAILY NEWS in Jackson, Miss.

Those who know the pungent odor of printers' ink and the fascination of bylines never believed that he could submerge his love for newspaper work in the insurance offices in which he was employed from his graduation in May of last year until he accepted his present position in late December.

The Bowling Green Publishing company may consider itself fortunate to have secured Mr. Whitaker's services, and we shall look forward to this skilled and experienced newspaper man making a very real contribution to the life of Bowling Green.

CHARLES WHEELER

RELIGIOUS EMPHASIS WEEK

In a world of confusion and chaos, vetoes and ultimatums, accusations and retaliation, atomic bombs and pathological warfare, one wonders if there is anything he can do to relieve the feeling of helpless frustration that comes over him when he thinks about world conditions.

Scientists have agreed that in the atomic bomb man has at last conceived a monster that can destroy him if not controlled. Many of them believe that religion and the application of religious principals is the world's only hope.

Because of that belief and the knowledge that college students are the future leaders of the world; because now is the time for people to realize that religion is fine in theory but better in practice; because no life, college or otherwise, is complete without definite spiritual experience, the Western Religious Council is sponsoring Religious Emphasis Week.

They have chosen as speaker for the week Bob Denny, who is particularly well-adapted to student work because of his vibrant personality, his natural and effortless wit, his aptitude as a fascinating and moving public speaker, and his sincere zeal for the principles for which he stands.

We hope that the students of Western will take full advantage of the opportunities of next week; that we shall not only observe a week of religious emphasis, but a life of religious emphasis as well.

JUNE BAXTER

WHAT YOUR DIME CAN DO

The 1948 March of Dimes, which got underway yesterday, marks the tenth anniversary of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. During the next two weeks Americans in every walk of life will put their dimes on the line so that boys and girls, stricken by polio, may regain the most priceless possession of youth, a healthy childhood.

The 1947 infantile paralysis epidemic marked the fifth consecutive year of unusually high incidence of the disease in the United States. Approximately 80,000 Americans, mostly children, have been stricken with the disease in that period.

That the fear and panic of previous epidemic years has been largely replaced by confidence and knowledge is the greatest possible tribute to the National Foundation.

Polio is one of the most expensive diseases known to medicine. The average cost per case is \$2,000. Fewer than one family out of ten can bear the expense entailed in caring for even a fairly mild case of infantile paralysis. However,

through public participation in the Foundation's annual appeal, all are guaranteed prompt and adequate aid when polio strikes. The 2,735 local chapters of the Foundation serve every county in the nation, and each stands ready to render every possible assistance to the people of its community.

Chapter services, made possible through your contributions to the March of Dimes include payment of hospital bills, doctors, physical therapist and nursing fees, transportation to and from hospital, medical follow-up service, and, where indicated, orthopedic appliances.

Of vital importance in the long run, the Foundation sponsors extensive programs of research and technical education. More than 1,000 combinations of drugs and chemicals have been tested in the search for a preventative or cure for infantile paralysis. The field is gradually being narrowed and in time research and study will no doubt find the answers. In the meantime, the professional education program of the Foundation will provide pediatricians, nurses, and physical therapists trained in the techniques peculiar to polio.

Your contribution to the March of Dimes, with the dimes and dollars of other Americans, will guarantee continued aid to infantile paralysis patients, regardless of age, race, creed, or color. In so doing we attain something of the true democracy of which the founding fathers of our country dreamed.

—Charles Wheeler

Your Manners Are Showing

By BART HAGERMAN

Back to the party idea. When you enter a house for a party, you will take off your hat, but where shall you put it? If your hostess doesn't direct you to a place, or take it from you, you may put it down on the piano or a table. Don't stand around holding it like all you needed was a bunch of pencils to go into business.

Don't track in mud. Clean off your shoes before you enter the house. Take the chair that your hostess indicates. If she doesn't tell you where to sit, draw up a chair to a group. When you sit down, sit on the part of your anatomy that's made for the purpose. In other words: Don't slouch on the middle of your spine or throw yourself full length on a couch or put your feet up on a table or another chair.

Clasp your hands in front of you or behind your back. Don't continually thrust them in your pockets, run them through your hair, stick your thumbs under your belt or probe under your nails with a dagger. And—break yourself of the toothpick habit, it just ain't being done!

Go easy on the furniture. Pillow-throwing is out of style. So is bouncing on the couch and parting your friend's hair with a phonograph record. Treat the furniture with as much consideration as you would one of your possessions—a new second-hand car, for instance.

Be careful of where you put wet glasses. Moisture makes marks on polished surfaces. And don't ever lay a lighted cigaret on the edge of a table, mantel, chair, window sill, book, or anything. It is considered bad manners to burn your host's house down.

Keep your voice and your manners quiet. Noisy people are a menace to the fun of everybody. No hostess wants a policeman at the doorbell. Loud behavior is a dead give-away that you don't know what to do. The well-bred man of the world is a quiet person (except at a Western-U. of L. game). He knows he doesn't have to bang a gong to have his personality register. Remember it's what kind of impression you're making that counts.

Kentucky Building News

By Charles Wheeler

Although Van Meter auditorium is one of the best known landmarks on the Western campus, probably only a negligible percentage of the hundreds of students who pass through its massive oak doors know why the building came to be called Van Meter.

The story of Charles J. Van Meter, plantation owner, steamboat captain, member of Barren river navigation syndicate, Confederate officer, hotel owner, and first chancellor of Western affords another interesting bit of local history.

Captain Van Meter was born on the site of the present Bowling Green Business university in 1826. He was the son of Jacob Van Meter, native Virginian of Dutch ancestry, who amassed a sizeable fortune in the mercantile business in Bowling Green.

The captain married Mrs. Kate Moss of Paducah. They had no children.

Captain Van Meter spent his early years managing his father's plantation, located at the boatlanding on Barren river. The present Bowling Green country club grounds is a part of that plantation.

He and his brother William engaged in steamboating on Green and Barren rivers beginning in 1856, and continuing to the outbreak of the Civil War in 1861. He then joined the Confederate Army as a quartermaster officer and served until the end of the war in 1865.

Captain Van Meter and his brother William then resumed their steamboating and also engaged in the lumber business, and at one time they owned as many as eight boats.

In 1868 he joined a syndicate known as the Green and Barren Rivers Navigation company, which

held this franchise until it was sold to the federal government twenty years later. He was partner in this venture with two other leading Bowling Green citizens, James Rumsey Skiles and Joseph R. Underwood.

The Van Meter brothers in 1868 purchased Grayson Springs, in Grayson county, and managed the resort themselves until 1884. After that Captain Van Meter retired to his farm in Warren county.

Captain Van Meter was a man of sterling character, progressive and public spirited. One of his chief interests was that of education, and he and Dr. H. H. Cherry, former president of Western, became warm personal friends.

When the old Southern normal school was being rebuilt after a disastrous fire, he contributed liberally to the building fund. This building, completed in 1901 and called Van Meter hall in his honor, is the present Bowling Green Business University building.

The normal school became a state teachers college in 1906 and was later moved to the Hill. Van Meter auditorium was named, in his honor, and anyone entering the rotunda can see on the wall a portrait of this venerable and public spirited man, who was also elected the first chancellor of Western by the board of regents.

The Kentucky library has this month received a fine collection of Van Meter family manuscripts, which are most valuable because of the prominence of the family in this section.

The collection of papers placed here for safe keeping are the Joseph C. Van Meter manuscripts, and were given by Mr. N. C. Van Meter, of Bee Springs, Edmonson county and Mrs. Nell G. Van Meter Mudd, of Leitchfield, Grayson county.

Grad Appointed Commissioner

The newly appointed commissioner of the state Welfare Department is Dr. Arthur Y. Lloyd, AB'26, a former lieutenant colonel and a Woodford county farmer.

He was appointed by Governor Clements and replaces John Quermous, who served under Governor Simeon Willis.

The new commissioner was director of the Welfare Department division of public assistance from 1936 to 1941 when he resigned to go into the army. He served in the South Pacific and in France and Germany.

A native of Webster county, Dr. Lloyd, after graduating from Western, earned his Doctor of Philosophy degree at Vanderbilt.

Known to his friends as "Doc", he entered state government work in 1936. Dr. Lloyd taught at Vanderbilt and Morehead State Teachers college.

In his capacity as Welfare Commissioner, Dr. Lloyd has command of all state prisons, mental hospitals, and the five tuberculosis-sanatoria now under construction.

In 1941, Dr. Lloyd married Lucy Sims of Woodford county. They have a daughter, age four.

Book Reviews

By Harlan Parsley

Your High School Days: By Mary Ford Detjen and Ervin Winfred Detjen. 248 pp. McGraw-Hill. \$1.50

Too often the young high school student flounders through his first years of high school without proper orientation or without proper awareness of the importance of his advent into the realm of secondary education. If introduced immediately to this little book written in a conversational tone in language on a level with his own vocabulary, the young student cannot help but develop a sense of awareness as to the importance of his venture into a new educational realm.

The young reader learns in the first chapter, the means and the desirability of definite class organization. In later chapters he is led to become aware of the importance of achieving a high scholastic record. He is guided in a choice of subjects to select. Study procedure is carefully explained. Emphasis is placed on the correct use of leisure time and employment outside of school.

An insight into proper relations with teachers, with home members and with members of the opposite sex is given in a clear direct way. The student is advised in personality development, in correct manners and in meeting the problems which arise with adolescence.

"YOUR HIGH SCHOOL DAYS is above average in its field. There is certainly a proper place in the curriculum of a junior high school for the subject matter contained in this little book, and a conscientious parent of young high school children would be wise to have YOUR HIGH SCHOOL DAYS in the home," Dr. L. F. Jones, head of the education department, said in evaluating the volume.

Your Plans for the Future: By Mary Ford Detjen and Ervin Winfred Detjen. 294 pp. \$2.00

Written for use in senior high school classes, this little book on educational and vocational guidance should be a great help in pointing the way for a successful life to a boy or girl who is on the threshold of higher learning.

The first part of the book is devoted to educational guidance and should be valuable in helping the high school student to determine what course he can best pursue as he goes about the business of choosing a career or profession. The advantages of higher education are clearly pointed out by facts and figures, and the methods of selecting a college to suit the individual's needs are presented concisely and accurately.

The latter part of this book should be exceedingly useful to the student who plans to enter a vocation upon graduation from high school.

GO TO CHURCH

"No student who is interested in happiness and usefulness in college and after graduation can afford to neglect his religious growth and development. The church is his greatest potential help in this program. I, therefore, regard church attendance as essential."

—President Paul L. Garrett
This space is sponsored by the Western religious council.

Awards Made To Staff Members

Lieutenant Colonel Richard H. Agnew, head of the military science department, was presented the Legion of Merit Tuesday, December 16, at a formation of the entire R. O. T. C.

The award was presented by Colonel Donald E. Carleton, executive officer of the Kentucky Military District. Commander of troops was Major Glenn A. Sikes, while Major William C. Lindley was the adjutant.

Colonel Agnew received this citation for outstanding service during the period of December 1943 to December 1944. During this year the Colonel was intelligence officer (AC of SG-2) and assigned to the Americal Division. The Special Breast Order of "Yun Hui", the Bronze Star Medal with "V" for gallantry in action, and the combat Infantry Badge are among the other decorations the Colonel holds. Just prior to presentation of award, Colonel Carleton inspected the corps of cadets in ranks.

Colonel Agnew is a native of Central City, Nebraska, and was appointed to the United States Military Academy from the 3rd Nebraska district. He was commissioned Second Lieutenant of Infantry on June 12, 1935 upon graduation from the Military Academy at West Point, New York.

At the same formation First Sergeant Donald K. Torbett was awarded the Bronze Star Medal for exemplary conduct in ground combat during the Tunisian campaign in the invasion of North Africa, November 8, 1942.

Sergeant Torbett, who has been with the military staff since October 3, received the medal from the commanding officer of the Philadelphia Quartermaster Depot.

The sergeant was a member of the First Ranger Battalion and he participated in the Dieppe raid in August, 1942. In addition to the new award Sergeant Torbett holds seven decorations including the World War II Victory Medal, the Combat Infantryman Badge, and the Distinguished Unit Badge. Previous to taking up his duties at Western as assistant to Colonel Richard H. Agnew, Sergeant Torbett trained R. O. T. C. cadets at Fort Knox.

Sergeant Torbett, a native of Wheeling, West Virginia, is married and has two children.



Joy Davis, Military Queen and her attendants after coronation ceremonies at the Military Ball, December 5. Seated—left to right—Anita Beller, Lya Shannon Lindley, crownbearer; and Judy Stevens, retiring Military Queen. Standing—left to right—Anne Egerton; Nancy Ashby; Joy Davis, 1947-48 Military Queen; Mary Helen Moss, and Leta Justine White. Nancy Douglas was not present for photograph.

Student Council Election Held

Election of this quarter's student council at Potter hall was held last week. Anita Beller, Ann Reilly Cochran, Violet Shields, Wenonah White, Betty Campbell, Patty Moore, Zola Keith, and Bea Burgess were elected by the Potter hall girls to fill positions on the council which handles all discipline and house regulation with the help of Mrs. Mary Way Drew, social director.

At the first council meeting Anita Beller was elected president of the

council and Anne Porter reelected to the post of secretary.

In evaluation of the student government's success the past quarter, Mrs. Drew says, "I've never seen such splendid cooperation in any group of girls as we have had here. We've had absolutely no discipline problem, and I believe it comes from the fact that the girls make their own rules and they make only reasonable and needed ones."

The Veterans' Club of Western sponsored an informal juke box dance at the College high gym last Friday night. The hours were 8:30 to 12:30 p. m.

Ex-Westerners Hold Top Posts In Jaycees

Several Western graduates and former students were elected to various offices recently at the meeting of the Bowling Green Junior Chamber of Commerce.

J. David Francis, AB '42, was elected president, and Albert Ray Douglas, former student, was elected first vice president. J. Lewis Harman, AB '41, was elected treasurer and J. Ray Gaines, a former student, was elected to the board of directors for a term of three years.

Grad Named To State Position

Dr. Arthur Y. Lloyd, AB '26, Woodford county farmer and former Army lieutenant colonel, was recently appointed commissioner of the state Welfare Department by Governor Earle C. Clements.

Dr. Lloyd replaces John Quermous, Republican banner, who served under former Governor Simeon Willis.

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The welfare commissioner's salary is \$5,000 a year. In that capacity, Dr. Lloyd has command of all state prisons, mental hospitals, and five tuberculosis sanatoriums now under construction.

Hilltopper 'B' Team Wins Again

The Western Hilltopper "B" team scored the second win of their abbreviated season over the Lindsey-Wilson junior college quintet of Columbia by a 58-53 score at the Western gym on Dec. 13.

Trailing 25-21 at the end of the first half, Toppers Eddie Diddle and Bill Warren sparked a fast-breaking second half drive that clicked off 24 points in eight minutes, and sent the Toppers ahead 45-32 with twelve minutes remaining in the game.

Lindsey-Wilson came back strong in the closing minutes of the contest, as Godby, Dawson, and Luttrell banged the nets in a late rush, but Western held on grimly to their lead for the win.

Diddle paced the Topper attack with 16 points, followed closely by Warren with 13. Austin and Godby registered 7 and 8 points respectively for the Lindsey-Wilson five.

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JOY DAVIS NAMED

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mon, Edwin K. Dyer, Henry J. Potter, and James V. Gardner.

Following the coronation was the grand march, with the arch of sabres being formed by Arnold E. Guess, Skiles B. Harris, Marion E. Higgs, W. A. Knight, C. T. Grubbs, K. H. Holloway, J. H. Cowles, and E. H. Curtis.

The receiving line was composed of President and Mrs. Paul L. Garrett, Dean and Mrs. F. C. Grise, Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. Richard H. Agnew, Major and Mrs. W. C. Lindley, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Canon, Dr. and Mrs. Earl A. Moore, and Cadet Lieutenant Colonel Lenwood S. Sherill.

The gymnasium was decorated in blue and gold carrying out the scheme of the R. O. T. C. department in a large centerpiece displaying the numerous insignias.

Intermission entertainment was furnished by Miss Virginia Fullenwider, vocalist, and Gregory Colson, pianist, both students of Western, and music for the dance was furnished by Bill Yandel, his fourteen piece orchestra and vocalist.

The Bulletin Board Stop

By Bill Lewis

While walking hurriedly or casually through one of the imposing edifices that adorn Western's campus, one is struck by certain points of interest that always seem to be favorite spots for a few people. Among those that are relatively well known are the gymnasium, the Cedar House, the record room in the Music building, and smaller ones that are intimate only to the particular people who frequent them.

One such point which always seems to draw more than its share of attention is the bulletin board. While its frequenters undoubtedly have less time to occupy their chosen spot than do others in different locations they make up for their deficiency by their intense concentration. A student of psychology could find in this heterogeneous throng a varied mixture of facial expression, ranging all the way from strained attention to careless indifference. Some come for a careful examination of all items, others to look for their names, and still others to find something of personal interest.

Regardless of the benefits one reaps from reading the board, inspection of this remarkable eye-catcher always proves interesting if for no other purpose than to see the various and sundry announcements on it. For example, one looks Monday morning and sees a notice that a rat terrier has been lost, a billfold found, someone needs a young man to do garden work, an announcement that anyone interested in taking German 104 should see Miss Stonecipher—all of which must be of vital importance to someone, or it wouldn't be there.

Through the course of the week one is apt to see a few changes such as: Lost: one Parker 51 fountain pen, black and silver, or a notice concerning the meeting of the biology club, and a sale, of all things, of fine cocker spaniel puppies. In any case, no one can say the announcements aren't diversified, and at times even humorous.

Occasionally the bulletin board has been the instrument for presentation of a fact which would be of interest to the entire student body. To cite an example, a clipping was taken from the COURIER-JOURNAL and placed on the board by some enterprising individual. The article remarked casually that the Western gridmen were not expected to give the Murray Thoroughbreds much of a test. Needless to say, many harsh words were heard directed toward the author of the article in question.

While much can be said for this important fixture, on numerous occasions students have threatened to move the board by bodily force, to another less congested area. No one can doubt that those reading the board block the passage way and create a "traffic problem."

But regardless of the position the bulletin board holds, it certainly will never fail to be of utmost importance to a vast majority of the students here on the Hill.

Robert Denny To Be Speaker



ROBERT DENNY

Robert S. Denny, associate in the student department of the Southern Baptist convention, Nashville, is the speaker for religious emphasis week January 19 through 22. Mr. Denny will speak each evening at 7:30 and in chapel Tuesday and Thursday at 10:00 a.m. in Van Meter auditorium. Dave Field, music major, will lead the singing at each service and announces that a choir of sixteen students will provide the special music. In addition to these services Mr. Denny will be on the campus every day for personal conferences or group counseling. Any organization, or class, interested in an appointment with the speaker is requested to contact the Western religious council, sponsor of religious emphasis week.

Bob Denny was born in Somerset, and reared and educated in Lexington, graduating from Henry Clay high school and the University of Kentucky with a Bachelor of Science and Commerce and an LL.B. Degree and was admitted to the Kentucky Bar association with Joe B. Orr, local attorney. Mr. Denny served as student secretary of the University of Kentucky, Louisiana State university, and Baylor university before joining the student department in Nashville. His travels include England, Denmark, Germany, Holland, Belgium, Luxembourg, Switzerland, Italy, France, Mexico, and most of the United States. The speaker's areas of special study are business law, counseling, public psychology and drama. Bob married Mary Gunn Webb, Lexington, and has three children, Robert S., Jr., 6, Allie Webb, 3 and Julia Gunn, 1.

College Hi Gives Play

"Athena's Diary", an original one act play, was presented Tuesday at ten o'clock in the Little Theatre by the senior class of the Training school.

The characters in the play were portrayed by Dillion Puckett, Kenneth Lockett, David Cooksey, Jeanette Miller, Margaret Simmons, Mabel Webb, Barbara Harrison, Betty Manning, and Barbara Fox.



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By June Baxter

The 6 feet 3 inch, 190 pound black-haired, brown eyed fellow who is seen about two-thirds of the time in the company of Anne Porter is Chester "Chet" Redmon, the president of the junior class. Chet is friendly and sincere and gives the impression of quiet strength and the ability to cope with any situation that arises.

Louisville is Chet's home town. He attended Male high, where he pitched for the baseball team and was sports editor of the Male high yearbook **THE BULLDOG** in 1939.

Redmon served three years as a staff sergeant in the Army Air Force, Headquarters Squadron, Air Service Command.

For two years he was stationed at the Bengal Air Depot, near Calcutta, India.

In November, 1945, he returned to the states and entered Western in March of 1946.

An English major, with minors in history and physical education his scholastic standing is well above the "B" mark—about 2.8. In fact, rumor has it that he had all "A's" before so much of his time became occupied by "the" girl.

Another fairly authentic rumor is that the faint sound he keeps hearing is the not too distant chime of wedding bells.

He has found time, since he has been attending Western to win a letter in baseball, occupying the very



CHET REDMON

important post of pitcher on the team, and to play basketball also.

His list of "likes" includes Anne Porter, ice cream, and chili in that order, and his dislikes are few, being an agreeable person, but he has a minor version to women who talk too much.

He plans to graduate in August of '48 and intends to teach after his graduation.

SPECIAL MEETING

A special meeting of the junior class has been called for 10:00, January 27. The purpose of the meeting is to elect the **TALISMAN** editor and business manager for 1948, and it is important for all class members to be present.

Chet Redmon, president, has appointed a committee to select candidates to the class for election. Members of the committee are Charles Wheeler, chairman, June Baxter, Hilbert Taylor, and Mary Phil Egerton. The committee will consult with faculty representatives, Dr. Earl A. Moore and Mr. Wilson Wood, in making their selections.

the inauguration of the G. I. Loan in 1944 have made 116,196 home loans through institutions in the amount of \$670,600,937.

The first major development of an artificial limb research program financed by the government is under way. Some 350 artificial limb dealers throughout the country are receiving three new types of artificial arms for Veterans Administration to accommodate some 5,000 amputee-veterans.

Veterans with permanent and spare arms of the former type may secure one of the new types provided the appliance can be fitted.

Ogden Contract Is Renewed

Copper R. Smith, regent of Ogden college has announced the renewal of a contract for use for a 10-year period of facilities of Ogden college by Western Teachers college effective January 1, 1948. The contract was completed at a meeting of the board of regents of Western January 3.

The 20-year contract under which Western has operated various departments on Ogden college property expired December 31.

According to Mr. Smith, Western gets use of Ogden campus and buildings rent free and the total income of the John E. Robinson fund helps to pay for the Ogden chair of science. Under the new agreement the number of scholarships offered at Western by the Ogden foundation will be increased from 25 to 100.

Three awards are given annually by the Ogden foundation to students of Western. The Robinson award is given for the outstanding declamation, the Ogden medal for the best original oration, and the Trustees' award is presented to the student with the highest scholastic standing for four years.

Williamson To Join Legislature

George F. Williamson, former Western student was recently elected to the Kentucky legislature from the Oldham-Trimble District.

Mr. Williamson was born in Williamson, West Virginia, and attended Western from 1938 to 1941, taking pre-legal work with a major in history. Joining the Navy in 1941 he served three years, two and a half of which he spent aboard the U. S. S. Gansevoort in the North and South Pacific. In 1945 he resumed his studies at the University of Louisville, from which he will graduate in 1948.

Mr. Williamson married Ruth "Sis" Payton of LeGrange and they have two sons, James and Tommy.



GEORGE F. WILLIAMSON

Students Nominated For Talisman Features

Elections for **TALISMAN** King, Queen, and campus favorites were held recently at a chapel period. The identity of those elected will remain unknown until the annual **TALISMAN** dance is held.

The girls nominated for Queen and campus favorites were Evelyn Banks, Anita Beiler, Eva Sue Blanton, Anne Riley Cochran, Anna Jo Cook, Betty Jo Cook, Anne Egerton, Nancy Murray Lacy, Juanita MacIntosh, Julia Smith, Harriet Spalding, Mary Helen Spears, Judy Stevens, Dorothy Taylor, Betty Topmiller, and Imogene Upchurch.

The boys chosen as nominees for King were Gregory Colson, Dee Gibson, Buddy Keyes, Roy Mann, John Oldham, Jim Pickens, Don Ray, and Odie Spears.

Former Western Teacher Honored

Dr. Carl Lindow, a former member of the faculty at Western, was recently named among the 10 ablest chemists in the field by the board of directors of the Kellogg Company. Dr. Lindow is research director for the Kellogg Company, Battle Creek, Michigan. He was graduated from the University of Wisconsin and taught chemistry at Western from July 1922 to July 1936. He married a Bowling Green girl, the former Bernice Ewing.

Veterans Views

By David Gilmore

One important change in the date of reinstating GI insurance was made during the holidays. Veterans of World War II now have until July 31, 1948, to reinstate their lapsed policies, the Veterans Administration announced. Previously the deadline was December 31, 1947.

A physical examination is not necessarily required to reinstate the insurance. Veterans need only to certify that their health is as good as it was when the policy was allowed to lapse. A payment of two monthly premiums continues the policy.

Monthly income ceilings for veterans taking education training under provisions of the G. I. Bill affects only the subsistence wages and not the actual wages veterans may receive. According to the V. A., the ceiling of subsistence and wages-together may not exceed \$175 for veterans without dependents and \$200 with dependents.

When wages and subsistence combined exceed the ceiling levels, subsistence payments are reduced accordingly to hold them under the ceilings.

If veterans earn wages so high that subsistence pay is impossible, they may still stay in school, but their time of enrollment will be charged against their period of eligibility.

If such identification as a class or insurance number is not known by the veteran, service serial number, service rank and organization, and date of discharge should be included.

Effective January 1, eligibility requirements for medical and dental treatment and hospitalization were revised.

Disabilities that are service-connected must be based on prima facie evidence not mere presumption.

No treatment or hospitalization other than emergency can be given without formal application to the fact that such disabilities were received in service.

Branch office officials in Columbus, Ohio, announced that nearly half of the veterans in Ohio, Michigan and Kentucky financing purchase of homes with the aid of GI Loans are paying an average of \$8,200 for newly built houses.

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Weddings

HUFF-GODDARD

Mr. and Mrs. Briggs Huff, of Bowling Green, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Jean Huff Green, to Russell Goddard, of Russellville, which took place January 11 at the First Presbyterian church in Russellville.

Mrs. Goddard is a former student of Western and she and Mr. Goddard are now attending the Bowling Green Business university.

POWELL-DICKSON

Mr. and Mrs. Lealie B. Powell, of Bowling Green, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Marie Burton, to Charles R. Dickson Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Dickson, formerly of Chattanooga, Tennessee. The wedding is planned for early spring.

Miss Powell is a graduate of College high school and will graduate from Western in March. At present she is co-editor of the CARDINAL section of the TALISMAN.

Mr. Dickson is now attending Western.

SHACKLETTE-LOCKE

Martha Shacklette became the bride of Corporal Charles Edward Locke Jr., December 23, 1947 at the Ormsby Avenue Baptist church in Louisville. Corporal Locke is now stationed at Ft. Bragg, North Carolina. Mrs. Locke is a student at Western.

NORDQUIST-WHITAKER

Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Nordquist have announced the marriage of their daughter, Kathryn Louise, to David Bickers Whitaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. James V. Whitaker, of Nashville, which took place November 27.

Mr. Whitaker is a graduate of Western and a former editor of the HERALD. Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker will live in Bowling Green as he has recently accepted the position of editor of the DAILY KENTUCKIAN.

MEADOR-FLOYD

Virginia Meador, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stephens Meador of Bowling Green, Route One, became the bride of Carl Eugene Floyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Floyd of Louisville, on November 29.

Mrs. Floyd is a former student at Western.

WILLEY-GRAHAM

At five o'clock Monday afternoon, December 22, at the First Baptist church Cornelia Knox Willey, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Warner Moore Willey, was married to Lewis Wayne Graham, son of Dr. and Mrs. V. Graham, with the ceremony being read by the Reverend Dr. Harold J. Purdy.

STONE-STEVENS

Eva Mae Stone, daughter of Mrs. Neil Stone, and Vaughn Stevens of Austin, Minnesota, were married Saturday afternoon, December 20, at the home of the bride's mother by the Reverend Dr. Harold J. Purdy, pastor of the First Baptist church.

Mrs. Stevens is a graduate of Bowling Green high school and the Bowling Green College of Commerce and attended Western.

She was formerly connected with the Federal Bureau of Investigation in Washington and is now curriculum advisor at Western.

Mr. Stevens is a graduate of Central high school in Austin, Minnesota. He was employed by Hormels in Atlanta before entering the Navy, with which he served four years. He is a senior at Western.

HAYDEN-THOMAS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hayden of Corinth, announce the marriage of their daughter, Nell Frances, to John D. Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh A. Thomas of Franklin.

The wedding took place November 27 at the Corinth Church of Christ with the Reverend Dr. Cleo Purvis officiating.

Mr. Thomas is a graduate of Western. He is now a teacher of mechanical drawing at Barrett junior high school in Louisville.

STARK-ALLEN

The wedding of Jean Stark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Stark, and Lewis Harold Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis F. Allen, both of Bowling Green, was solemnized Friday, December 5, in the study of the First Baptist church with the Reverend Dr. Harold J. Purdy officiating.

POTTS-JONES

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Potts, of Corinth, Mississippi, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Mary Nell, to Brewer Thomas Jones, son of Mrs. Myrtle M. Jones and the late Mr. Jones, of Bowling Green, which took place recently in Corinth.

Mr. Jones is a former student at Western.

THURBON-FOSHEE

The marriage of Miss Gloria Thurbon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Thurbon, of Sidney, Australia, to First Lieutenant Billy B. Foshee, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Foshee,

of Bowling Green, has been announced.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Foshee were married last August at Kinawa in the South Pacific. They are now making their home at Manila, P. I., where he is stationed at Clark Field.

Lieutenant Foshee is a graduate of College high school.

TAYLOR-BRYANT

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Taylor, of Weiche Creek, announce the marriage of their daughter Juanita, to Clarence O. Bryant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Bryant, of Caneyville, on December 21.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Bryant attended Western. He is now a student at the University of Kentucky.

FRESTON-COOK

The marriage of Virginia Preston, daughter of Mrs. John Preston, to Thomas B. Cook, Jr., was solemnized Friday evening, December 19, at the Hostess House with the Reverend Mr. R. G. Embry officiating.

Mr. Cook is a Western graduate and Mrs. Cook also attended Western.

TABOR-MYERS

Mrs. Blaine Tabor, of Bowling Green, has announced the marriage of her daughter, Lois, to Henry Hughes Myers, of Tompkinsville, which took place December 20 at the First Baptist church in Bowling Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Myers are students at Western.

POTTS-TINIUS

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Potts, of Owensboro, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Myrtle Elaine, to William Harold Tinius, also of Owensboro, which took place December 20.

Mrs. Tinius is a graduate of Western and during her four years in Bowling Green resided at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Sinclair, 422 Fifteenth street.

Faculty Notes

Dr. Earl A. Moore, of the English department, returned January 4, from Lexington, where he attended a one day executive committee meeting of the commission of colleges and universities of the Kentucky Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. Dr. Moore is vice-chairman of the committee.

Mr. Claude E. Rose, instructor in the music department, and other members of the department furnished the program for a luncheon meeting of the Kiwanis club at the Helm hotel on Thursday, December 4. Mr. Rose is a member of the Kiwanis organization.

Dr. Bert R. Smith, of the education department and Mrs. Smith visited their son, Dr. Charles B. Smith, who is doing his internship at St. Thomas hospital in Nashville, last Friday and Saturday.

Dr. Bert R. Smith, of the education department, and Mrs. Smith drove to Calloway county Jan. 3 to attend the funeral of his sister-in-law, Mrs. A. B. Smith of St. Louis, Missouri.

Mrs. M. L. Billings is in Coffeyville, Kansas, where she is the guest of Mrs. Robert Scott, a former Western student.

Dr. M. L. Billings, of the psychology department, and Mrs. Billings, were visited by Dr. Billings brother, A. D. Billings, during Christmas.

Dr. Mary I. Cole, of the education department, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Richardson of Mims, Florida, during the Christmas holidays. Both Mr. Richardson and his wife, the former Ann Mary Coakley of Elizabethtown, are Western alumni. They plan to enroll here during the 1948 summer session.

Miss Ruth Hines Temple spent the Christmas holidays at Carolina Inn, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina.

Miss Temple, head of the art department, returns to Western to take up her position, following a leave of absence when she underwent an operation in the Nashville hospital.

President Paul L. Garrett was one of the speakers at the mid-winter conference of the American Legion which met in Louisville Dec. 6 and 7.

President Paul L. Garrett attended the School Superintendents' Banquet in Frankfort Dec. 18. Mr. Garrett made the presentation speech and presented Mr. John Fred Williams, retiring state superintendent of public instruction, a \$1,000 bond and flat silver service, gift of the superintendents.

Club News

CONGRESS DEBATING

Senator Newton Ray presided at the last December meeting of the

gram was limited to thirty minutes because of other important business. The subject for debate was "Resolved, that the Office of Price Administration be Reestablished".

Each member present participated in the debate. Most of the members spoke against reestablishment of O.P.A.

The officers for the next five weeks are Newton Ray, president; Charles Johnson, vice-president; Kenneth Goff, secretary-treasurer; and Jim Fulton, sergeant-at-arms.

PSYCHOLOGY CLUB

An organizational meeting of the Western psychology club will be held Wednesday, January 21, in room 9 of Cherry Hall at 4 o'clock. This meeting will be the first session of the club during the winter quarter.

Reports on "Instincts" by Grover Trail and "Gestalt" by Bob Wright are scheduled to be presented. A discussion of contemplated new projects will also be held.

EDUCATIONAL COUNCIL

The education council held its last regular meeting of the fall quarter December 16 at 7 p.m. in the Kentucky building.

Christmas carols were sung by the members who arrived early and continued until all the members were present.

A short business meeting was held

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Births

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Brown announce the birth of a daughter, Shirley Jane, Sunday, December 14, at 2:30 a. m. at the city hospital. Mr. Brown is an agriculture student on the Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wood have announced the birth of a daughter on November 4. She has been named Mary Jane. Mr. Wood is a Western graduate, and former county judge Muhlenberg county.

PERSONALS

Major Keith D. Cloe AB '41, and Mrs. Cloe and children, Bobbie and Keith Jr., now living at Kindley Field, Bermuda, where he is Director of Operations for Headquarters, Bermuda Base command. Mrs. Cloe was formerly Mary Ruth Lemons, who was a member of Western's Art department.

Ernest Payne spent the Christmas holidays with his family in Charlottesville, Virginia.

Mrs. Alice Broadus Richardson of Owenton, Kentucky visited friends on the Hill recently. She attended Western in 1912-14 and has been living in Oklahoma, however, she is at present residing with her mother at Owenton.

Roy Mann visited friends in Indianapolis, Indiana, during the Christmas vacation.

After spending Christmas in Indianapolis, Charles Trigg Hoover returned to Louisville to visit Mr. and Mrs. Joe P. Baxter and son, Joe.

Jack Beiler, a former Western student, visited his sisters Jo and Anita, at Bowling Green during registration.

Monty Dale Coffin, formerly of Western and now a cadet at the United States Military Academy, West Point, New York, visited his parents at Milton, during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Coffin is leading his class at West Point in mathematics and ranks with the highest in all courses he is taking there.

Brooks Mitchell spent the Christmas holidays in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. George Page spent the Christmas holidays in Dunedin, Florida.

Former Student Named To Ky. Hotel Board

George M. Williamson, Jr., formerly employed at the Brown hotel, Louisville, and the Beckley hotel at Beckley, West Virginia, and at present operator of the Mansard hotel, was elected to the board of directors of the Kentucky Hotel Association at the annual meeting held in Louisville.

Mr. Williamson, who served as a navigator with the United States Army Air Force in China during World War II, previously attended Western, Southern Methodist university at Dallas, Texas, and Bowling Green Business university.

Veterans Club Gives Spaghetti Dinner

A spaghetti dinner given by Western Veterans' club, at the Kentucky building Monday night, December 12, was attended by approximately 50 people.

Among guests present were Dr. and Mrs. Judson Griffin, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore.

Following the dinner, after having raffled off a table lamp, won by Mr. and Mrs. Moore, the veterans, their wives, dates, and guests, were entertained by Gregory Colson at the piano.

After the musical program, guests danced in the basement. The music was supplied by a juke box.

Lynn Waller, president of the club, stated that he wished to extend an invitation to all student veterans to become members of the club and to attend club meetings held every Monday night in the Kentucky building. He also wished to "thank" publicly Mr. Wright, owner of the Hilltoppers, for his services extended for this dinner.

21 Complete Work In Fall Quarter

Members of the senior class completing their work at Western at the end of the fall quarter and who will receive degrees in June are Robert Newton Burress, Gertrude Burrows, Will Z. Cannon, James Elmer Coleman, Paula Anne Donnelly, John William Espey, Harry Glen Hughes, Neva Nell Kenner, Vance G. Layton, Warren Homer McCaulley, John Emma McCullough, Harry Dale McLeMore, John Robert Miller, Mrs. Wilda Ortkiese Nash, Martha Anne Paxton, Thompson Jasper Stern, William B. Triplett, Arvelee Tuck, William Ray Wethington, Ruth J. Wilson, and Stanley Lee White.

The following had a scholastic standing of "B" or above for the time enrolled in school here and were exempt from all final examinations: William Barnett Hatcher, John Thomas Likins, Talbot B. Mansfield, William Howard Solley, and Marilyn L. Zimmerman.

Miss Martha Anne Paxton was treasurer of the senior class, and nominations for a treasurer to take her place for the remainder of the school year were held at class meeting on Tuesday, January 14.

New Exit Added In Gymnasium

A new exit has been added to the Western gymnasium to facilitate the handling of the overflow crowds. Also, in case of emergency the gym could be emptied faster and with a greater degree of orderliness.

The additional exit is located at the east end of the gym, and adjacent to the cold drink stand. The original exits located one each on the east and west ends, one on the south side, and three on the north side do not afford sufficient means for emptying the gym in record time. Therefore, the new addition is more than welcomed.

Students are asked to re-acquaint themselves with the positions of the exits relative to their seats, so that in case of emergency they may make their exit as speedily as possible and with as little congestion as possible.

Students Give Music Recital

Dr. Weldon Hart, head of the music department presented the first all student recital of the fall term Thursday, December 11, at 4:00 p. m. in the choral room of the Music Hall.

Members of the department staff assisting Dr. Hart were Miss Mary Chisholm, George M. Daggit, Dr. Hugh Gunderson, and Richard Snell.

The program was as follows: "Valse Caprice" and "Danse Negre", by Scott, presented by Alice Thompson; "O Dei Mio Dolce Ardor", by Gluck, and "Chi Vuol Comprar", by Jomelli, presented by Thelma Scott; "Barchetta", by Nevin, presented by Nancy Pritchett; "May Night", presented by Gere Ramsey; "Impromptu-Valse", by Bachman, presented by Miss Vivian Harlow; "Sequidilla" (Castilian Dance), by Albeniz, presented by Wenonah White; "Nocturne", by Respighi, presented by Miss Judy Stevens; "Concertino for Trombone", by Cimera, presented by Anne Riley Cochran and Gregory Colson.

Accompanists were Steely Veach for Miss Scott and Mr. George M. Daggit for Mr. Miller.

Several students who had been announced previously to be in this recital were unable to perform because of illnesses.

Band Marches At Inauguration

Members of the Western 85 piece marching band and the 60 piece concert band and director, Dr. Hugh Gunderson, took part in the inaugural ceremonies for Governor Earle Clements held in Frankfort on Tuesday, December 16.

The Western marching band, led by drum major Matt Waller Sugg, took part in the inaugural parade.

Directly following the inauguration the concert band played an inauguration concert in the rotunda of the State Capitol building.

The band which went to the inauguration in three busses was warmly received by the large number of visitors who were present for the inauguration.

CLUB NEWS

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and the Talisman club picture was taken.

Members of Dr. Mary I. Cole's education 313 class enacted a fifth grade reading lesson which was centered around a story entitled "The Christmas Promise." Mrs. Taylor Moore, acting as teacher, demonstrated how a reading lesson can integrate the experiences of a child.

Robert N. Burress, Will Z. Cannon, Brooks H. Coomer, Audrey Eggen,

Woodford Gardner, Fairy H. Knight, Martha L. Peterson, Margie Wade, Nina L. Waller, and Mildred S. Weddle played the parts of the children during the demonstration.

Before the class was over, Santa Claus, played by Gene Stierle, came in and distributed gifts to the 52 members present.

Appropriate Christmas refreshments were served following adjournment of the meeting.

The next meeting of the education council will be held Tuesday evening, January 20, in the Kentucky building. Dr. M. L. Billings and the psychology department will have charge of the program.

Dr. Bert R. Smith, education council sponsor, urges all majors and minors to join before the next meeting.

HISTORY

"Conditions in Palestine" was the subject of the Rev. Harold Purdy in an address before the A. M. Stickles history club at its first meeting of the winter quarter on January 8 at the Kentucky building.

The following officers, who were elected at the last meeting, took office: Eugene Nix, president; J. C. Rich, vice-president; Carolyn Kimbler, secretary-treasurer; Dr. J. H. Poteet, sergeant-at-arms; and Anna Burris, reporter.

The president announced the ap-

pointment of two committees. The program committee is composed of J. C. Rich, chairman, Hugh Ayer and Norman Antle. The refreshment committee are Miss Frances Anderson, Martha Scott, Mrs. Eleanor Babb, and Andrew Bird.

Refreshments were served during the social hour.

Dr. Gunderson Attends Mid-West Music Clinic

Dr. Hugh Gunderson, director of the Western marching and concert band, went to Chicago to the annual mid-west Music Clinic held at Hotel Sherman, December 12 and 13.

Professor Ray Dvok of the University of Wisconsin, who acted as main judge in the Western State Music Festival in 1931, was the conductor of this clinic.

MASSEY TO SPEAK

An address by Dr. E. L. Massey, of the biology department, on "Biological Aspects of the Atomic Bomb" will be given before the education Council Tuesday, January 20, at the group's first meeting of the new term.

The meeting will be held in the Kentucky building at 7 p. m. The psychology department will be in charge of the program.



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Election Is Held For New Nursery Officers

Veterans' Village nursery committee met Monday night at 7:30 in the nursery for election of new officers.

Those elected were Mary Lane, chairman; Virginia Boucher and DeJores Sallens, committee women.

Mrs. Paul L. Garrett, who is not a member but cooperates with the committee, was unable to attend, but phoned that she had obtained someone to clean the floor of the nursery once a month.

Dr. Wilson Conducts Annual Bird Census

Dr. Gordon W. Wilson, head of the English department, conducted his 30th annual Christmas bird census here December 21. He was assisted by Charles L. Taylor. According to Dr. Wilson, the year was the poorest in years. Only 37 species observed. A large number of crows, estimated at 25,000, were seen by the ornithologists.

Accompanied by Henry Lix, Mammoth Cave Park Naturalist, Dr. Wilson also conducted a bird census at Mammoth Cave December 26. Again only 37 species were recorded.

Page Attends Meeting

Mr. George Page, head of the physics department, Mrs. Page, and Dr. E. L. Masie, of the biology department, attended a meeting of scientists at Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, Alabama, December 18 through the 20th. Scientists from Oak Ridge as well as from all over the country were present. Discussions were held on the use of radioactive isotopes in agriculture.

Peterson Accepts Ohio State Post

Dr. Paul Q. Peterson, recent health service physician at Western, has accepted a position with the Ohio State university college of medicine at Columbus, Ohio, and the State Department of Health there.

Dr. Peterson in assuming the duties of his new position will instruct in the medical college and have charge of the training program for Public Health personnel.

Dr. Paul Garrett, Western president, commenting on a successor, stated that no one had been named to fill the vacancy left by Dr. Peterson.

Grad Is Named To U. K. Law School Faculty

William L. Matthews Jr., Bowling Green, now holds an associate professorship in the College of Law at the University of Kentucky.

Mr. Matthews was admitted to the Bar Association of Kentucky in 1941, also served in the Army Air Forces and was a major at the time of his discharge. Before joining the U. K. staff, he was associated with Pinn and Orendorf firm at Bowling Green.

Mr. Matthews is a graduate from College high school, holds an AB degree from Western, and the LLB degree from the University of Michigan Law School. He is a member of Omicron Delta Kappa society and Phi Alpha Delta legal fraternity.

The Training school reports the largest enrollment of practice teachers since the war. Ninety-two future teachers are enrolled in all.

Professor Visits Proving Grounds

Professor M. E. Schell, of the mathematics department, and Mrs. Schell were afforded the opportunity of visiting the White Sands proving grounds in Texas when they visited their son and daughter-in-law, first Lt. and Mrs. Wilfred Schell during the Christmas holidays.

The White Sands proving grounds is where the V-2 rockets and guided missiles are being tested. Mr. Schell says that the firing of the rockets is a sight to behold. No one is allowed within a quarter of a mile when one is launched, a blast of flame is thrown for a considerable distance.

While they were there, Lieutenant Schell was relieved of his duty at Fort Bliss, and was transferred to Sandia Base, Albuquerque, New Mexico. Sandia Base is the chief scientific center that serves Los Alamos, Alamogordo, and White Sands proving grounds. He and his wife, the former Miss Evelyn Hope, of Glasgow, made the trip there with Prof. and Mrs. Schell.

Professor Schell was greatly impressed by the secrecy maintained at Sandia Base. Armed guards accompanied them where ever they went and the shift being relieved from duty has to remain for eight additional hours at the base so that in case some secret document is missing it would be an easy matter to locate them.

On the way down Professor and Mrs. Schell visited Carlsbad Caverns and while in El Paso attended the Sun Carnival, a bull fight (which Mr. Schell says isn't worth a nickel), and the broadcast by Art Linkletter for General Electric.

Lieutenant Schell has been assigned the post of chief surgeon at Sandia Base.

Both he and Mrs. Schell are graduates of Western.

By June Baxter

Birds - I View

LENWOOD S. SHIRRELL

One of the most modest and unassuming seniors on the Hill is Lenwood Shirrell, who, despite the fact that he never in any way puts himself forward, has none the less received quite a bit of recognition.

He is Military Editor of the TALISMAN, former Lieutenant Colonel of ROTC, and enlistment vice president of the Baptist Student Union Council.

An agriculture major, graduating in June '48 he is considering doing graduate work.

Vital statistics—he is about 5'11" tall, weighing around 180 pounds with blue eyes and brown hair.

One of his most distinctive features is the fact that he is calm, collected, and logical in all circumstances.

His scholastic standing defies the supposition that he would lead a life to deduce when he says, with a grin, "I live in Greensburg, in Green county on Green River."

MARTA ANN FRITZ

Affectionately known as "Fritzie", Martha Ann is one of the most captivating freshmen on the Hill.

Her blue eyes sparkle mischievously from behind shell-framed plexiglass, and her laughter, cheerfulness, and good humor bubble constantly.

One instinctively knows that Martha Ann likes people and has comprehension and intelligence beyond her seventeen years.

She was born in Richmond, Virginia, but has lived in Walkertown, North Carolina almost all her life.

She came to Bowling Green to live with her aunt and uncle, Reverend and Mrs. R. B. Prentiss because of

better school opportunities in Bowling Green.

She graduated from Bowling Green high last year and was literary editor of the BEACON during her senior year and vice-president of the Girls' Glee club for two years.

She doesn't know what her major will be, but her interests run to English, math, music, and people.

She plans eventually to go into religious work.

She is an assistant Sunday School teacher in the junior department at the Broadway Methodist church and secretary of the Western Religious council.

Martha Ann likes parties, fun, and dates very much but it seems that a certain North Carolina preacher occupies much of her thoughts and plans for the future.

DORIS BLANKENSHIP

For her calm and com-mitted head, Doris Blankenship, is one of the rare individuals who can unobtrusively make parties run smoothly without seeming unduly distressed.

A native of Louisa, she has lived in Dayton, Ohio, for the past seven years.

Transferring from Morehead, she entered Western in the fall of 1947, and plans to graduate this March with a double major in math and art, and a minor in physical education.

Her hobbies are sketching and dancing and her center of interest is a certain North Carolinian by the name of Joe Jacobs.

She has a mania for shoes and likes exotic perfume.

Her dislikes are sweet potatoes, rice, black-eyed peas, and corn-bread and she thinks gum chewers should be hid and not heard. Doris' sense of humor is well-developed and she is kind, lovable, and willing to take responsibility.

She plans to teach in or near Dayton after her graduation in March.

Students Present Work-Shop Plays

Students of the play production class of the English department of Western presented their first work-shop production, "Invitation to Laughter", before the holidays in Van Meter auditorium.

The first of the two one-act plays presented, "A Wedding Had Been Arranged", was directed by Ralph Curry. Included in the cast were Dennis Lilly, Thomas White, Nina Koenen, Roy Hoyt, Jr., Gerry Is-sacs, William Tabb, and Betty Ray.

The second comedy, "Thank You, Doctor", was under the direction of Ruthann Jones. Its cast included Edward Earl Snyder, Marie Powell, Evelyn Jones, Charles Solley and Bob Spiller.

Technical staff for the production was composed of William R. Russell, Alice Thompson, Doris Terry, and Milton Epperson. Personnel included all members of the play production class of Russel H. Miller, of the English department.

Cotton Dawson Named To Post

Cotton C. Dawson, Hattiesburg, Miss., formerly of Linton, Ky., was elected president of the Southern Business Education Association at its convention at Knoxville a short time ago. Now head of the division of Commerce of Mississippi Southern college, Mr. Dawson first came to Western in 1920 and has since returned for work at the college. His wife, the former Mary E. Riffin, is a Western alumna, having been enrolled in 1919 and returning again in 1932, 35 and 36.

Freshman Class Meets

Class meeting for the freshmen was held in Van Meter auditorium on Tuesday, January 14. Dr. Bert R. Smith of the education department spoke to the students on "How To Study". A musical program was also furnished by students of the college.

Daughter Of Western Grad To Be Honored

Friends of Raymond D. Ridley, and hero worshipers of the Ohio countian when he was an athletic star at Western, will be proud to learn of the honors being accorded his daughter, Mary Jo Ridley, 18. The young lady's picture has been selected to appear on the cover of a spring issue of Modern Miss, a New York pattern company publication.

She was chosen National 4-H Cover Girl at the National 4-H Club Congress at Chicago in competition with 12 girls representing various states. The young lady also was winner of a state style review held in connection with 4-H club activities.

Mr. Ridley, a graduate of Western in 1924, is listed on the Western honor roll of athletes, having been a member of the basketball, football, and baseball teams in his last two years here.

Glasgow Girl Is Ky. Entry In Festival

A frequent visitor on the Hill and a sister of a Western graduate, Miss Nell Payne of Glasgow, Kentucky, was a recent participant in the Maid of Cotton festivities in Memphis, Tennessee.

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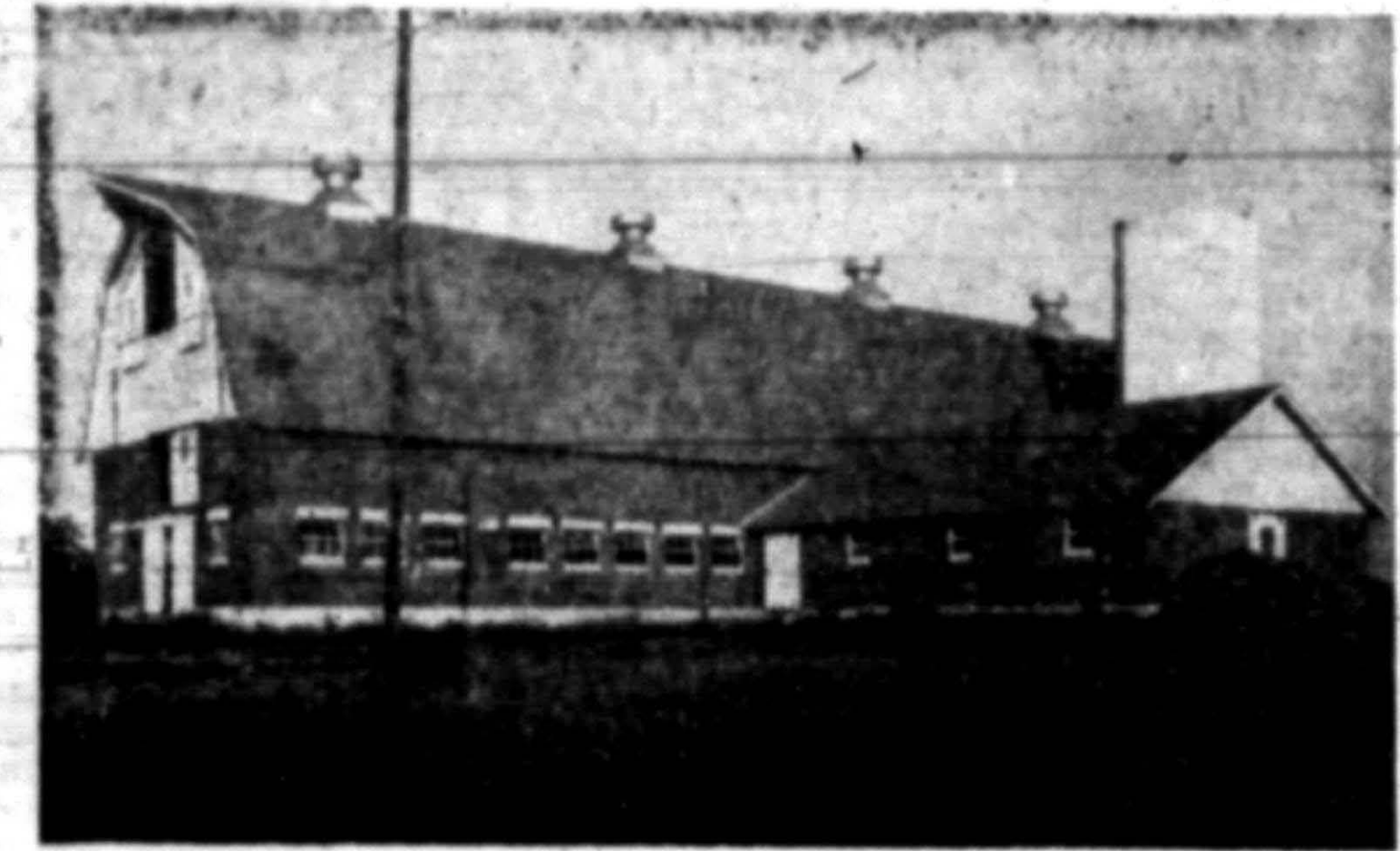
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Western Agriculture Farm Is One Of States' Finest



The new ultra-modern 60 cow dairy barn on the Western college farm.

By E. C. St. Clair

Western's farm, known to the agriculture majors as the school farm located four miles south of Bowling Green on 31-W, is a place that few students have heard of and even fewer have seen as little publicity has been given this part of the college, turned over to the education of agriculture students.

The students do no actual work but use the farm as an outdoor laboratory and observe the practices of the men who operate it.

Five men are permanently hired by the school to run the farm; two men run the dairy and the other three, with many day laborers, look after the general farming.

This reporter, ably guided by Charles Taylor, head of the agricultural department, made a visit to the farm last Friday to get first hand information concerning all phases of its operation.

This farm of 550 acres was purchased from the John A. Covington estate in 1934, but had been rented by the college for several years preceding purchase.

The topography of the land is very good with gently rolling slopes and bottom land in the majority. The first field terracing was completed last year and another field is to be terraced in the near future. The land is situated so that any erosion which might start could be easily checked if remedial measures were begun at time of erosion.

Under cultivation yearly are 125 acres of small grain; 50 acres of alfalfa; 125 acres of corn, which has been raised from an 18 bushel an acre yield when purchased, to an 80 bushel average now; 200 acres in rotated pastures and crop; and 50 acres of permanent pasture.

The cultivation and harvesting is taken care of by the use of two tractors with standard equipment and some more specialized equipment as the pick-up-hay baler, combine, and hay and grain elevator. During the past four years, four new homes have been built for the permanently employed workers and another is to be built next year. In the same period an ultra-modern dairy barn equipped to handle 60 producing cows has also been built.

This barn, with a self-supporting type of roof, is constructed of hollow, glazed tile and is air-conditioned. At the present time about 50 cows are milked. One hundred and thirty head of dairy cattle are kept on the farm, including cows, calves, and heifers and are valued at about \$22,000. The calves, soon after birth, are brought to the pavilion, on 17th street where a group of milk cows are used as foster mothers in the nursery of the calves.

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The dairy herd is equally divided between Jerseys and Holsteins and all are registered stock. Another source of income are the 150-200 head of hogs that are raised and sold each year. These hogs are purebred Spotted Poland-China but none are registered.

NEXT PLAY TO BE

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Of a number of plays written on this subject, this is the newest. In the telling of his story, Maxwell Anderson explains the technicalities of building the entire production from a vast stage before the audience's eyes.

A group of players and technical staff are discovered in the final rehearsal in the theater in which the play is to be presented. Production difficulties, paralleling the obstacles that Joan of Arc had to cope with, are problems within the production group in interpreting and producing the play.

Maxwell Anderson lightens the tragic import in the story of JOAN OF ARC by drawing this parallel at the same time highlighting and giving pertinent distinction to the significant scenes chosen to tell the JOAN OF ARC story.

JOAN OF LORROINE is a joint production of the Western Players and the Bowling Green Players Guild.

Dr. Stanley N. Reeves, superintendent of city schools at Conway, South Carolina, and former Ogden student, visited Dr. and Mrs. Bert R. Smith at their home December 2 and attended the Southern Association meeting in Louisville.

Dr. Reeves is a graduate of Peabody College and taught at Western from February to June, 1932.

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Dorm Girls Have Holiday Parties

Despite final examinations, Christmas cheer was by no means absent during the closing days of the fall quarter at Western. Numerous parties and carolings were held by various campus groups.

The girls of West hall were awakened December 19 by the senior girls singing Christmas carols. Afterwards, all the girls gathered in the living room and were served donuts and hot chocolate before presenting Mrs. E. L. Reep and Miss Louise Reed their Christmas gifts. Betty Jo and Anna Jo Cook accompanied by Mrs. Odie Spears sang two numbers, "Santa Claus Is Coming to Town" and "White Christmas".

The Christmas spirit was introduced at Potter hall, December 13, by a Saturday afternoon "Musical".

Bea Burgess as Master of ceremonies introduced the program with group singing of carols lead by Amelia Meador. A skit written by Ranny Hensley entitled "A Parody on The Night Before Christmas" was given in pantomime and read by Virginia Plank. A piano duet was performed by Gregory Colson and Ann Reilly Cochran. Ann Chaffee and Amelia Meador sang solo selection. Emily gave a viola solo and Jo Beiler, a French horn solo.

The musical performances were presented to an audience of Potter hall girls and their guests.

On December 19, lights could be seen in all windows of Potter hall at 6:00 a. m. The girls rose early for a last get-together before the holidays. A party was held in the lobby which included singing of Christmas carols, and exchange of gifts. Under the lighted tree were placed gifts for Potter orphans. In front of an open fire, girls in pajamas and housecoats leisurely enjoyed breakfast before adjoining to classes.

A Christmas caroling was held at the Cedar House December 18 from 8 to 9 p. m. Music was furnished by Greg Colson; Dot Taylor led in singing the carols. A special number was given by John Oldham, Roy Mann, and Buddy Cate. Refreshments were candy, cookies, and punch. Serving as hostesses were Virginia Sears, May Jane Walls, and Jane Peden.

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posed of college organizations plus visiting high school students.

In addition to the full two days of workshop sessions, a concert will be given on Friday evening of next week by the Western concert band, complimentary to the visiting directors. On Saturday noon, there will be a luncheon for the group. Four hundred and fifty invitations have been sent out to supervisors and directors of music in Kentucky and surrounding states.

By popular request the sessions of the 1948 Clinic are being extended to cover two days

Dooley Named Section ACS Vice-Chairman

Dr. Glen Dooley, of the chemistry department, was elected vice-chairman of the Nashville section of the American Chemical Society, in a meeting held in Nashville, December 11. Other officers elected were James K. Witt, BS '32, chemist at the Old Hickory plant of Du Pont, chairman; Dr. A. M. Holladay, George Peabody College for Teachers, secretary-treasurer; and Dr. E. E. Litkinhouse, head of the department of chemical engineering, Vanderbilt University, counselor.

Mr. Witt, is the chief chemist of the rayon division at the Du Pont plant in Old Hickory, Tennessee.

Preceding the business meeting Dr. J. K. Cline, professor of biochemistry, Medical College of Alabama, spoke to the group on "Some Re-

cent Advances in Our Knowledge of the Vitamines."

Professor Benedetti Picheli, micro analyst at Queens College, New York, is the scheduled speaker for the next meeting of the Chemical society to be held, January 21, at Vanderbilt University.

Dr. L. M. Wilson Opens Med. Practice Here

Dr. L. M. Wilson, Jr., BS '44, has opened an office for the practice of general medicine and surgery in association with Dr. W. R. McCormack, local physician.

After receiving his degree from Western, Dr. Wilson attended the University of Louisville school of medicine, doing his intern work at City hospital in Springfield, Ohio.

Dr. Wilson is a native of Abbeville, Georgia.

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Diddlemen Shuffle Cards For The Season's Tenth Victory

Western Wins Eight Tilts But Looses To B. G.

By Bill Lewis

Western's towering Toppers have set a torrid tempo in defeating nine out of ten opponents. The Diddlemen have lost only to the Bowling Green (Ohio) Falcons, traditional rivals, who handed the Red and Gray its only loss, 75-64. Western has succeeded in beating Kentucky

Wesleyan, Canterbury, Evansville, (twice), Morehead, Fort Knox, Utah State, Georgetown university, and Maryville.

In winning nine and losing one, the Hilltoppers have amassed 716 points to the opposition's 457. Leading the point makers for the Diddlemen is Odie "Sleepy" Spears, Western's All-American candidate, who has 149 points to his credit. Following the big forward is guard Johnny Oldham with 118, and Don "Duck" Ray with 98.

Western 52—Canterbury 34

Following a 51-31 triumph over Kentucky Wesleyan, the Western basketballers journeyed to the Louisville Armory for an engagement with the Canterbury Warriors. With Johnny Oldham and Dee Gibson pacing Western's fast breaking attack, the Toppers rolled out an easy 52-35 victory.

Western 58—Evansville 42

The Evansville Aces were next on the agenda for the Toppers, and Western punched out a 58-42 triumph on the Hoosiers' court. Playmaker, Dee Gibson, led the assault with 18 points, and Odie Spears trailed closely with 16.

Western 78—Morehead 40

For their second K. I. A. C. victory, the Diddlemen entertained Morehead and crushed the Eagles 78-40. A capacity crowd was treated to a spectacular duel between Western forward Odie Spears and Sonny Allen Eagle flash forward. When the din of battle cleared, the statisticians revealed that Spears held Allen to two field goals and a free throw, while collecting a total of 14 points himself. The game proved another All-American performance for the big Scottsville forward, and Western guard, Dee Gibson, practically duplicated this feat by a brilliant floor game, in addition to grabbing 13 points.

Western 101—Fort Knox 68

In a charity tilt at Owensboro, the Toppers outran the Fort Knox five

to the tune of 101-68. With every member of the squad playing, the Diddlemen found nothing but forward Gene Rhodes to worry about. The former Male high star was a thorn in Western's side all night, and single handedly kept his team in the game. Points were rather evenly distributed, Ray and Spears leading with 16 and 14 each, respectively.

Western 80—Utah State 49

Western's first real test came when they tangled with the Utah State Aggies. The Toppers had some difficulty in pulling away from the stubborn Westerners, but once ahead, were never in trouble. Leading 38-24 at the half, the Big Red flashed an attack at the outset of the last can'to, that bewildered the Farmers, astonished Armory patrons, and set tongues wagging as to the relative merits of Western and the University of Kentucky. The Red and Gray scored 19 points in 6 minutes and 25 seconds, and limited the Aggies to 1. Utah State coach Whitesides described the attack aptly in these words, "I've never seen anything like it." Oh yes,—final score was Western 80, Utah State 49.

Western 64—Bowling Green U. 75

But all good things must cease, and Western's unbeaten record was no exception. The Falcons of Bowling Green University tripped the Toppers for the first time 75-64. But losing to the Buckeyes at Bowling Green isn't such a degrading loss, as every team that has played there within the last seven years will testify. The Toppers battled the Ohioans on even terms most of the first half, and pulled within 2 points at one stage of the last half. However, a team that hits approximately 60 per cent of its shots is not to be denied. So it was, and needless to add, the Toppers, Coaches Diddle and Hornback, the student body, and all concerned and interested, are eagerly awaiting the appearance of the Falcons on the local floor.

Western 58—Georgetown U. 37

Georgetown's travelling Hoyas fell victim to the revengeful Western team, 58-37, before a packed house of 4,460, on January 2. The Toppers had trouble in finding the range during the early stages of the game, but found themselves and the basket long enough in the second half to post a comfortable margin, and then resisted any bids Georgetown could make. Odie Spears led the attack with 18 and Don Ray followed very closely with 17. Danny Kraus, Georgetown's All-American guard, turned in a brilliant performance for the losers.

Western 67—Evansville 44

With their New Year's resolutions still strong, the Toppers subdued the visiting Evansville Aces 67-44. The game was marked by roughness on the part of both teams, which saw one Evansville player banished from the game. The Toppers took an early lead which they never relinquished even though the Aces made several bids for dominance of play. The visitors showed fight, and an eye for the basket, but lacked the necessary speed and height to complete with the rangy Diddlemen.

Western 77—Maryville 37

Western's final home game before leaving on their annual Eastern swing was with Maryville college. If Western had been playing a stronger team, that team would have had a golden opportunity to enrich their standing at Western's expense, for the Toppers were obviously thinking of U. of L., Canisius, L. I. U., and St. Josephs. The Diddlemen were inaccurate, had trouble coordinating their offense and occasionally went to pieces on defense. At one stage the Toppers went 7 minutes without scoring, but the Red and Gray's experience and speed were too much for the visitors as they succumbed 77-37. Ray paced the Toppers with 16 and Oldham collected 10.

Toppers Tounce U. Of L., 71-44 In Armory Win

The cold wave which struck Kentucky last Tuesday had no effect on the Western Hilltoppers Wednesday night as they snowed under Peck Hickman's Cardinals 71-44. Amid the chatter of the patrons' teeth, the players' knees, and the scoreboard, the Cards froze under the withering blast of the Toppers' deadly accuracy and speed.

The cold Armory air affected the Hilltoppers only for the first five minutes when the Redbirds led with varied scores. A field goal by Johnny Oldham put the Diddlemen out in front 9-8 and from there on the snow fell with increasing velocity. The big guns for the Toppers were Odie Spears with 18 points and Don Ray with 17. In addition to collecting a total of 35 points between them, the big forwards did a magnificent job on the backboards, controlling both ends at crucial stages of the game. Johnny Oldham and Dee Gibson turned in stellar performances at the guard posts, in addition to bagging 13 and 9 points respectively. Fans were delighted with the play of Oran McKinney, especially his shooting form. His first three field goal attempts in the last half were all good, and the big center again proved himself invaluable as he displayed savage defensive form both under the basket and on the floor.

Starring for the losers were DeWard Compton with 13 points, and Ish Combs with 10. However, the margin of difference undoubtedly would have been much larger if the Cards had not had big Jack Coleman under the basket. Coleman spelled the difference between Louisville controlling the ball part of the time, and not having their hands on it. Although the big lad was limited to one field goal by Odie Spears, much can be said for his defensive work.

The Cards jumped into a 5-1 lead before the Toppers warmed up and began hitting the basket. Sparked by Don Ray and Johnny Oldham, the Toppers forged ahead 9-8, and then on it was only a question of the final score. The Cardinals employed the same defensive tactics that they successfully used last year in upsetting the highly-touted Toppers 60-52. This year, however, was different. The Hickmen were willing, but it was a case of a definitely superior ball club. At the half, the Diddlemen led 30-17.

In the last half it was an old story. The Toppers flashed out ahead on their seemingly unstoppable fast break, as Odie Spears and Dee Gibson provided the spark this time. The Toppers greatest margin was 30 points.

In a prelim tilt the Ft. Knox Soldiers defeated the U. L. "B" team 59-37. Gene Rhodes, who is slated to enroll at Western, following his discharge, garnered 17 points for the winners.

Mrs. Jimmy Haynes Is Cedar House Hostess

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Haynes are now occupying the apartment at the Cedar House recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Rutledge. Mr. and Mrs. Haynes lived in Veterans Village until this quarter.

Wayne county and Monticello fives. Here, too, the Cards ran into hard luck, losing a nip and tuck 43-42 battle to Wayne county; and a 40-38 overtime struggle to Monticello.

Cards Win Three Since December 1

College high's Cardinals have found the basketball roal rather bumpy so far this year in winning only four of their twelve games. A word must be said, however, regarding the fact that four of the defeats absorbed by the Cards were by one point margins and one by two points.

The Red Birds opened their regular season on November 20, at Cave City and wound up on the short end of a 36-27 score. Five nights later a free throw in the final seconds gave Bristow a 28-27 verdict over Coach Dero Downing's boys in a thriller. Brownsville and Park City then fell victim to the Cardinals attack; Brownsville by 44-20 and 51-33, and Park City, 44-34.

December 15 saw Greenville's Blackhaws invade the Cardinals' home floor and take back home a 43-42 decision in an overtime hair-raiser. On December 17, the Cards journeyed to Bristow and got sweet revenge for an early season defeat at the hands of the Bristow club by a 41-19 score. Glasgow's Scotties provided the opposition for the Red Birds in the last game before the Xmas vacation, and here, too, the Birds lost a heart-breaker by a 34-33 count.

Russellville's Panthers started the new year off right by banging the Cards 33-26 on the Panther floor. January 6 saw Coach Brad Mutchler bring his Scottsville Pointers to Bowling Green with a 12 and 1 record. After the smoke of battle had cleared, the College High quint had gone down to a gallant 43-35 defeat.

Last weekend Coach Downing took his charges on a two-day trip through the Eastern part of the state, where they encountered the

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GOAL POST

Alumni Flashes

By

RAYMOND C. HORNBACK
Route 3, Louisville, Ky.



Raymond C. Hornback
UNCLE BILLY CRAIG's letter requesting that alumni write me has resulted in many fine responses. Our correspondent includes one of these in today's column because the interesting insight which they give into the lives of former Western students.

362 Scotland Street
Dunedin, Florida
November 19, 1947

Dear Mr. Hornback:
Along with the bill for my dues to the Alumni Association and the HERALD came a letter asking Western graduates to write to you, the idea being to keep fellow alumni in touch. I could never refuse UNCLE BILLY, so here goes.

I left the teaching profession as such some twenty years ago, being easy since then with a private school of my own—seven little boys aged now from nearly two and a half to nineteen. The eldest goes to go to the University of Florida, where he's now in his senior year, involved in journalism, architecture, and making over the world. The second, though, ELIZABETH CHERRY (guess for whom he's named!) commonly known as Betty, aspires to be a teacher. This year last year in high school, where he lead in the school play, glee club, Honor Society, winning her letter in volleyball, the annual staff, and numerous other extra-curricular activities take up much of her time. Next year, however, she's coming to Western to learn to become a teacher. We have planned that since she was a little girl and next year will find her red head down on the front row in chapel where her mother sat before her.

The next girl is in high school too, then a boy is in junior high, and finally one yet in grammar school. With a fourth boy and the baby girl still pre-schoolers, school will loom large in my life for years to come.

Indeed, my husband has figured out:

1. That we'll have somebody radiating from something nearly every year for at least two more decades.

2. That one or more will be enrolled in college for the next twenty years.

3. That it's a good investment. Among the things Uncle Billy lists we might write about are:

(a) Honors

Probably the finest ones I've received lately were the tribute of my nine-year-old when he said I was the best cooker he "ever ate," and of by three-year-old, who insists he's going to marry me when he "drows" up.

(b) Accomplishments

We've finally caught the rat that was getting in the kitchen.

I've finally whittled my weight back down to what it was when I walked up and down the Hill three times a day—around 125 pounds.

And I've at last prevailed upon the twelve-year-old to keep his hair oiled and his shirttail in. (A certain little girl might claim credit for that, however.)

(c) Hobbies

In helping the eldest boy in his

scout work some years ago, I took up astronomy in self-defense and have found it fascinating. Also the numerous varieties of oak trees not the kind found in Kentucky! In this section challenged me, and trying to classify all the hybrids I find very interesting. I took up the piano when the first child started music lessons, and I have kept it up spasmodically ever since, although five of my young have already outstripped me at it. Still it gives me a great deal of pleasure.

Whether it's a hobby or an avocation, I'm not sure, but there's my weekly newspaper column, "From My Kitchen Window", now in its twelfth year in the local TIMES. It's an outlet for the thoughts and ideas of a homebound housewife who thinks on many things besides the baby's new tooth, the price of eggs, and whether the petunias will ever come up. It's a great satisfaction to me, and my readers seem to like it also.

(d) Travel

Most of my travelling is somewhat like that of a squirrel in a big cage—over the same territory. (I have discovered that on ordinary days I go up and down the stairs an average of seventeen times. On the days when someone is in bed with a cold, mumps, chicken pox, measles, et al., the average is thirty-nine.) Most years I make a trip to Kentucky. I made one this summer, of which more anon.

(e) Humorous Incidents

With a family the size of mine, humorous incident are so numerous that, with newsprint and paper shortage what it is, it would be folly for me to start enumerating them. And then, too, what parent could stop at a sensible number? So I pass.

(f) Club and Organization Work

Time was when the woman's club, the community club, the missionary society, and a few other organizations claimed a good deal of my time, but as my family increased, I gradually dropped them until now I am active only in the P. T. A. And I've just finished planning the programs for the year, except for May. There I'm stumped. Any suggestions?

(g) Comments on Education, etc.

With the great shortage of good teachers throughout the country at last being realized, I believe the turning point has been reached and that with the realization that teachers' salaries should be increased, teaching as a career offers greater opportunities than in many years.

It was my good fortune in August to be present on the Hill at chapel, an experience which always imbues

Princeton Names Helm As Trustee

Harold Holmes Helm, brother of Miss Margie Helm, Western librarian, has been elected a charter trustee of Princeton University, Dr. Harold W. Dodds, president of the university, announced recently.

Mr. Helm is president of the Chemical Bank and Trust Company in New York. He attended Ogden College for two years before transferring to Princeton. Mr. Helm graduated from Princeton in 1920 and was employed by the Chemical Bank and Trust Company the same year.

Mr. Helm is also a director and member of the executive board of Corn Products Refining Company, a director of Home Insurance Company, City of New York Insurance Company, City Investing Company, Cedar Temple Realty Corporation, and Phalanx Realty Corporation, and is a member of the economic policy and pension fund committees of the American Bankers Association.

Ed Rutledge Accepts Washington Position

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rutledge left Western December 20 for Washington, D. C., where Mr. Rutledge will accept a government position.

Mr. Rutledge, BS'41, who served six years as a navy pilot and was discharged in 1947 as a Lieutenant Commander, returned to Western in June 1947 to work on a Master's Degree. While here Mr. Rutledge was assistant football coach and industrial arts instructor at Bowling Green high school.

Mrs. Rutledge, who entered Western in September as a special student, was senior hostess at the Cedar House. Pearl, as she is known among her many friends on the Hill, plans a short visit with her family in New York City.

me with that old "Spirit of the Institution" so often called forth by Dr. Cherry of beloved memory. It being the end of the second summer term, the auditorium was not well filled as it was "in my day," but the program, as usual, was excellent. The band played that day. If as an old grad I have any privilege of handing out advice to pupils there now, it is this: Never miss chapel. Be there every time and you will receive entertainment, inspiration, and that something which gives you the true savor of school. Those times are what will remain with you in after years, more than any other one period of the school day.

I hope more of those at Western from '22 through '25 will respond to Uncle Billy's calls for letters from former graduates.

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★ Sports Alley ★

by Bob Tinscher

Highlighting the U. of L. game last Wednesday was the play of the Cards' Jack Coleman and the Toppers' Odie Spears. Both boys had received the Louisville Times' award as "player of the week" previous to the tilt. Coleman, who is also a star footballer, won an end berth this season on the third team Little All-America. For his "player of the week" award, Coleman piled in 16 points as the Cards downed Georgetown university 69-52 on New Year's night. Spears gained the award December 27 as his 18 points helped trounce Utah State 80-49. Both boys measure 6 feet 5 inches but unfortunately, Coleman will be back next season while Spears graduates this year. The big boy is poison under the boards.

A story circulating now, which may be classified as a rumor but which is reportedly confirmed by one of the largest newspapers in the country, should be of immense interest to all Western followers.

The tale reads that two of the Hilltoppers' basketball tilts will be broadcast coast to coast, over the largest networks under the sponsorship of the United States Army Recruiting Service. It is believed that the games to be carried over the air are the Western-Eastern and Western-Murray which are our greatest rivals.

For many people, Indiana is the home of the best basketball players, but a certain young gent currently cavorting for the Philadelphia Warriors in the Basketball Association of America is doing his "derndest" to change things. Yea, it's Joe Fulks again. Fulks, who is waging a see-

saw battle for individual scoring honors with Boston's Ed Sadowaki, is back in the driver's seat as the HERALD goes to press. Recently, Fulks was held to his lowest total in his two seasons of proball—a lowly nine points. This is low only because the 6' 5" Kentuckian averaged 25 points last season as he amassed 1,389 points. Joe comes in for plenty of publicity this month as he is featured in stories in the current issues of Sport, Collier's Varisty, and the Saturday Evening Post. Mrs. Fulks is the former Mary Sue Gillespie, whom many will remember as a student at Western a few years ago.

The Long Island university cagers, who will oppose the Hilltoppers January 20, in Madison Square Garden, are year in and year out, strong contenders for the national basketball crown. From one of their more dull moments on the hardwood emerges this article which gets continual references from L. I. U. opponents.

A few years ago, during the course of the Long Island university-West Texas State 58-56 overtime thriller at New York's sport haven, Madison Square Garden, Charlie Halpert, the Texans' 6 ft. 10 in. center, batted at least 10 sure L. I. U. field goals out of the basket.

Toward the middle of the second half, Halpert was not at his accustomed post guarding his basket. The Long Island quintet had begun to storm the Texans' hoop.

At that precise moment, a wag in the bleachers bellowed his instructions for the local team, L. I. U., "For cryin' out loud, hurry up and sink that basket—before the goalie gets back!"

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signed to the U. S. S. Tarawa, an aircraft carrier stationed in the Atlantic fleet. He saw active duty at sea and went in and out from the States with a convoy division, until he was discharged in March, 1946.

Pearce, who lives in Veterans' Village, was married to the former Miss Cecilia Pickett, daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. Leslie Pickett, Greensburg, on August 28, 1946. The young sports writer and his wife have one child, a son, Stephen.

Serving on the HERALD last year, Pearce has received considerable journalism experience. In addition, he wrote Bowling Green news as a corresponding staff writer for the COURIER-JOURNAL during the past summer.

A candidate for the A. B. degree in English, Pearce will graduate from Western in March.

Nancy Moss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McElroy Moss, 1400 College street, staff and feature writer for the DAILY KENTUCKIAN, is a junior on the Hill. At Western she is also a member of the reportorial staff of the COLLEGE HEIGHTS HERALD.

Miss Moss attended the Training School and Bowling Green High School. In 1943 she entered Kemper Hall, girls' preparatory school in Kenosha, Wisconsin. During her two years there she was active in athletics and extra curricular activities. As editor-in-chief of the school annual she received her first journalistic experience. Miss Moss graduated from Kemper Hall in June, 1945, as a first honor student.

She was awarded a special scholarship to Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, New York, which college she attended before her matriculation at the Ward-Belmont Junior College, Nashville, Tennessee, in February, 1946.

At Ward-Belmont, Miss Moss was a member of the Penta Tau club, a first honor-roll student, citizenship student, and one of the leading athletes of the school. In connection with the latter, she was an undefeated singles and doubles tennis champion. Serving as sports editor of the weekly campus publication, she gained further journalism practice. In February, 1947, Nancy Moss was received into Phi Theta Kappa, national honorary scholastic society. She graduated as an honor student from Ward-Belmont in June, 1947.

The young DAILY KENTUCKIAN writer, 20, has been with the new Bowling Green paper since November 9, 1947, date of the first publication.

Field "Mouse" McChesney, Jr., joined the staff of the DAILY KENTUCKIAN on January 5, 1948, as a reporter. He is the son of H. F. McChesney, 1024 Laurel avenue, who is the head of the Spanish department at Western.

Graduating from College high in June, 1939, he entered Western the following fall, where he was a student until his entrance in the United States Army in April, 1943.

McChesney served three years with the Eighth Air Force in England as a radio operator and gunner on frequent flights over the continent. After he was shot down over Dresden, Germany, in February, 1945, he parachuted into enemy territory and spent the remainder of the European War in prison camps throughout Germany.

He was liberated by units of the famous 14th Armored Division only a few days before the Germans surrendered. Returning to the United States, the gunner was honorably discharged from the Army as a staff sergeant in November, 1945.

Returning to Western, McChesney completed requirement for the AB degree in English, graduating in June, 1946. While at Western, he served on the staff of the COLLEGE HEIGHTS HERALD.

The reporter taught English for the school year 1946-47 at the Dawson Springs high school. In addition, he was editorially connected with the Dawson Springs PROGRESS, owned and edited by Mack Sisk, former member of the COLLEGE HEIGHTS HERALD staff with McChesney.

Serving as advertising manager of the DAILY KENTUCKIAN is Bob Cochran, son of Mrs. G. W. Sanders, Rineyville.

Cochran graduated from Male high school, Louisville, in 1936. Following his graduation he was employed by Lowe's, Inc., Louisville, for three years. He entered Western in September 1939, and left the Hill in March, 1943, at which time he entered the service.

He entered the service as a corporal, and saw considerable active duty in Italy and Korea. Cochran was discharged with an honorable record in June, 1947, as a first lieutenant.

He came back to Western after

his discharge and graduated from the Hill in August 1947, with an AB degree in history and English. The new advertising head has seen considerable newspaper service, which has ably prepared him for his important position with the DAILY KENTUCKIAN. During 1942 and '43 he was the sport editor of the Park City Daily News; and he gained "business knowledge when

he acted as business manager of the COLLEGE HEIGHTS HERALD, during the school years 1940, '41, and '42.

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Sunday morning at 12:59 to arrive in New York at 9:06 a. m. Monday.

Here they will stay at the Belvedere Hotel.

The Long Island university game January 20, will be played in Madison Square Garden and from all tough in their tilt with St. John's last week and the Western battle, coming at the end of the Toppers' full week of traveling, should be a dilly.

reports there should be a near full house. The L. I. U. quintet is always an eastern power and constantly ranks high in national ratings.

Following the Garden tilt, the Toppers will entrain for Philadelphia to square off with the St. Joseph Hawks in Convention Hall. While in Philadelphia the Diddlemen will make their home at the Penn-Sheraton Hotel. The Hawks looked plenty

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